

Summer Employment and Training Opportunities for Teens

YMCA Hot Jobs

Website: <https://www.seattlemca.org/accelerator/hotjobs>

Description: Click the big blue "Hot Jobs" button at the top of the webpage to access a huge list of open positions across King County! Be sure to read all requirements carefully and check any age restrictions.

Age: 16 years and older

Dates: Ongoing

Location: Seattle, Tukwila, Bellevue, Renton, Kirkland, Issaquah, Federal Way, Kent, Maple Valley, Burien, Auburn, and more.

Compensation: Typically these are hourly wage positions.

Desired Qualifications: Please read each individual job posting for more details.

How to Apply: Please read each individual job posting for more details.

King County Youth Program Directory

Website: <http://youthprogramdirectory.org/>

Description: A database of teen and young adult opportunities in King County, including arts & culture, recreation, mentoring, leadership, service learning, and employment opportunities.

Please see individual postings for more detailed information.

Pedalheads and Heroheads Camp Counselor/Bicycling Instructor

Website: www.pedalheads.com

Description: Pedalheads Bike Camps is looking for instructors for a Summer Program. Pedalheads is a 10-level program to teach kids ages 2-12 to ride their bikes safely and skillfully on streets and trails.

Heroheads is a multi-sport camp with a superhero twist! Kids kick-start their passion for sports through exciting games, activities and obstacle courses.

Age: 15 years and older

Dates: June 25th – August 31st

Locations: Bellevue, Redmond, Mercer Island, and Seattle

Compensation: \$13.50/hr - \$16.00/hr

Desired Qualifications: Must have your own bike + helmet and have experience working with children.

How to Apply:

<https://www.pedalheads.com/about/join-the-team/Pedalheads>

<https://www.pedalheads.com/about/join-the-team/Heroheads>

JUMA YouthConnect

Website: <https://www.juma.org/youthconnect/>

Description: Gain professional skills in customer service, teamwork, and problem-solving by working in exciting sports and entertainment venues such as Safeco Field, CenturyLink Field, and Husky Stadium. Over the course of this six-month program you will also attend workshops and receive 1-on-1 coaching to learn financial capability, career planning, and personal growth. Juma members also receive support with health services.

Age: 16-24 years old

Eligibility: Low-income or have experienced foster care

How to Apply: Complete this brief survey form and you will be contacted by a Juma representative.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Puc0LNoPG61PbG8HDEaaNeNlgvQlchQM9FdQkKiCe4/viewform?edit_requested=true

Arts Liberation and Leadership Institute

Website: <http://www.artscorps.org/programs/teen-leadership/alli/>

Description: The Arts Liberation and Leadership Institute (ALLI) is a two-week intensive summer program where 28 youth are trained in artistry, social justice and organizing. Youth leaders develop as cultural workers in four arts pathways: spoken word poetry, music production, visual art and breakdance. This cohort of youth hones their arts and organizing skills, while deepening their understandings of race and social justice issues. They collaborate, build community and create art that challenges oppression and envisions a more just world. **ALLI 2018** will take place during August 21st – 25th & August 27th – 31st.

Age: 14-19 years old

Locations: Youngstown Cultural Arts Center in West Seattle

Compensation: \$350 stipend

Eligibility: Any person between 14-19 years old

How to Apply: Visit the above website to find an online application.

The Scholars Project

Description: Free academic enrichment program serving African American middle school students. This fun and engaging program is led by experienced teachers and staff to support summer learning with a reading a writing focus.

Ages: Rising 6th, 7th, and 8th graders

Dates: July 9th through August 10th, 2018

Location: South Shore K-8 (4800 S Henderson St)

How to Apply: Email info@lifeenrichmentgroup.org to inquire about limited positions

Urban League of Metropolitan Seattle's Summer University

Website: <https://www.urbanleague.org/education/summer-university/>

Description: For six weeks, students (young men and women of color) attend classes five days a week from 9am to 3pm, exploring STEAM (Science, Technology, Art, and Math) topics in several one-week workshops. Students engage in hands-on activities that help develop their understanding and thinking about the world of STEAM, and include field experience and guest speakers.

Age: Students entering 9th-12th grades

Dates: July 9th-August 16th

Location: Seattle Central College campus

Compensation: \$500 stipend upon completion of program; some students may be eligible for academic credit

How to Apply: Email lwilson@urbanleague.org for an application

Bureau of Fearless Ideas

Website: <http://fearlessideas.org/>

Description: Free writing and creative workshops including career exploration, nonfiction, music production, and personal essays.

Ages: 2nd -12th grades

Locations: Greenwood and Yesler Terrace

How to Apply: See the workshop schedule here <http://fearlessideas.org/programs/workshops/>

Outdoor Opportunities with Parks and Recreation

Website: <http://www.seattle.gov/parks/find/o2-outdoor-opportunities-program>

Description: Outdoor Opportunities is an outdoor expedition program designed to expose multi-ethnic, **high school teens** (ages: 15-19) to environmental education, urban conservation, and stewardship. We strive to create an environment for community leadership and empowerment via workshops, service projects and outdoor excursions, all of which are free for our students. Apply at any time for free recreation opportunities.

Some paid opportunities available! Find the application for stipend programs in the 2018 Spring/Summer Calendar (available at the website above). **Deadline is June 8th** for these paid positions doing restoration, rock climbing, and more!

Ages: 15-19 years old

Dates: Ongoing, see calendar

Locations: Multiple

Compensation: Only for paid programs listed in Spring/Summer Calendar

How to Apply: Visit the website link above to download the application and calendar.

Powerful Voices

BlvckGrrlsRising: Call the Shots is a brand new collaboration between Reel Grrls and Powerful Voices! We are partnering to bring you an exciting 2-week long summer program for Black and African identifying youth. Participants will take charge of their own power as leaders, artists, activists, and digital storytellers igniting their abilities to confidently express themselves, build community, and act against injustices affecting their lives. Youth participants will gain basic media production skills and produce short videos by the end of the camp.

Age: Students entering 7th or 8th grade

Dates: Aug 6 - Aug 17, 10am-4pm, Monday through Friday

Location: The Pound Arts Building (1216 10th Ave)

Cost FREE!!! *The program is free and enrollment is limited to 15.*

Youthforce

Website: <http://teenjobs.org/about-our-internships>

Description: YouthForce networks with some of the coolest organizations around Seattle to find fun and rewarding internship positions for you. Have you ever wondered what it would be like to work for the Sounders and Seahawks? Are you interested in a marketing, business, or tech job at Microsoft? Our combination of individual coaching, paid internships, and training will help you build your resume, expand your network, and make a plan for after high school. We can help you find the answers you need for college and career success.

Age: 16-18 years old

Compensation: Please inquire

How to Apply: Email for more information youthforce@positiveplace.org

Skate Like a Girl

Website: <https://www.skatelikeagirl.com/>

Description: Skate Like a Girl is hiring assistant camp counselors to support robust summer skateboarding programs. Work with additional staff to lead young people through skateboarding skills as well as traditional summer camp activities. Skate experience preferred but not required.

Age: At least 15 years old

Dates: Mid-June through end of August

Compensation: \$15/16 DOE

How to Apply: <https://form.jotform.com/60886290375162> (find this link on their website)

Youth in Focus

Website: <http://www.youthinfocus.org/what-we-do/>

Description: We offer youth development photography classes in both Digital Photography and traditional Black and White Darkroom Photography throughout the year in 8 week quarters to youth ages 13-19. Classes meet on Monday/Wednesdays or Tuesday/Thursdays from 4:30-7:00pm. Summer Quarter is July 30th - August 10th.

Age: 13-19 years old.

Compensation: Service learning credit for high school requirement

How to Apply: Visit the website above to fill out an online application; you will be contacted for an interview. *A non-refundable deposit of \$25 will be required to hold your placement, if offered a spot in one of our classes. However, no student will be turned away for lack of funds.*

Teen Service Learning at Seattle Public Library

Website: <https://www.spl.org/about-us/support-us/volunteer/teen-volunteer-opportunities>

Service learning at the Library can help you:

- Develop important skills for school, jobs and life, such as critical thinking, problem solving, communication and working with others.
- Earn community service hours to complete high school requirements.
- Gain leadership and project management skills. This volunteer experience can be included on your college and job applications.
- Get to know great people and hang out with friends!

Age: 14-19 years old; current high school students

Compensation: Service learning credit for high school requirement

How to Apply: Contact the Teen Services librarian at your local library to request a volunteer application and a meeting to discuss your service learning interests. After your meeting, the librarian will invite you to a volunteer orientation.

Private Pilot Ground School at the Museum of Flight

Website: <http://museumofflight.org/Education/Ground-School>

Description: This unique course provides the opportunity for **rising 9th-12th grade students** to explore the world of aviation while creating a base of aeronautical knowledge that pilots need to successfully pass the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) private pilot exam.

Application Deadline: Apply before June 1 if possible; spaces may still be available.

Age: 13-19 years old

Dates: June 25th-July 13th, 2018, Monday-Friday 8am-3pm

Locations: The Museum of Flight, 9404 E. Marginal Way South, Seattle, WA 98108

Compensation: Earn high school or college credit. Cost is \$35 for course materials.

How to Apply: Click the website link above and go to "Enrollment Request."

Urban Artworks

Website: <http://urbanartworks.org/>

Description: Youth in our summer program work on large scale outdoor murals with teaching artists and community partners.

Dates: Interviews are July 5th. Program runs July 9th-August 30th, Monday through Thursday, 10:30am-3:30pm

Compensation: Please inquire

How to Apply: Email INFO@URBANARTWORKS.ORG for more information

Lambert House

Website: <http://www.lamberthouse.org/>

Description: Lambert House is a center for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning youth that empowers youth through the development of leadership, social, and life skills. They are searching for volunteers/interns to assist with planning events, fundraising, outreach, office assistance, and cooking meals.

Age: 11-22 years old

Dates: Ongoing

Compensation: Inquire about service learning credits for school

How to Apply: Complete this online volunteer application form <http://www.lamberthouse.org/youth-volunteers>